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LOCAL NEWS.

The Keller Fair will open this year August 25th and continue four days. Mr. O. H. Taylor, of Oak Hall, is at Accomac C. H., visiting his son, Capt. Lynn F. Taylor and family. Tasey Fair, August 4, 5, 6, 7. Splendid premiums this year. Write T. S. Hopkins, Tasey, Va., for catalogues and race card. Master Alfred Edmonds, operated on for appendicitis at University Hospital, Baltimore, on Thursday of last week, is expected home to-day. Valuable farms, timber, horses, &c., are offered for sale at private contract in this issue by W. C. and H. P. West. See advertisement. Miss Margaret Lilliston left on Monday to attend the horse show at Orange C. H. While in Orange she will be the guest of Miss Lucy Sandford. Excursion trains will be run every day during the Tasey Fair, from points North and South, for the accommodation of those who wish to attend, at low rates. Mr. Henry C. Ayres, of Accomac C. H. is the champion tomato raiser in this vicinity. He weighed one on Wednesday that tipped the scales at 1 pound and 11 1/2 ounces. The corner stone of Keller Methodist Church will be laid with Masonic ceremonies on Wednesday, July 29th, 3.30 p. m. Speeches, base ball and 5 o'clock dinner will be among the attractive features of the day. Mr. A. J. Lilliston, county treasurer, has Mr. Edward Wise and Miss Annie Wise, of Cradockville, Miss Addie Parks, of Parkley, and Misses Marcie Duncan and Mable Johnson, of Accomac, making out his 1908 tax books this week. L. Floyd Nock, trustee, will sell at public auction on Saturday, August 15th, 2.30 p. m., valuable house and lot lately belonging to James L. Mears, located at said station, containing 1 acre. For full particulars see posters. During the electrical storm of last Tuesday the dwelling of Mr. Fred Kellam, near Keller, was struck by lightning and his wife shocked by the bolt. Considerable damage was done to the weather boarding and window panes in house. Warner Ames, trustee, will, on Saturday, the 5th day of August, next, at 3 o'clock p. m., sell at public auction in the town of Wachapreague, Va., valuable house and lot of Annina A. Hickman and husband. For further information see posters or trustee. The Dutton farm, located between Middlesex and Cradockville, will be sold at public auction by Mrs. M. U. Franklin on Saturday, August 1st, between the hours of three and four o'clock, at Pungoteague. This farm has been divided into three tracts. See posters. Reports of the following banks at the close of business, July 15th, 1908, appear in this issue: Parkley National Bank, Parkley; First National Bank, Accomac; National Bank and Merchants, National Bank at Onley; Belle Haven Bank, Inc., Belle Haven; Hallwood National Bank, Hallwood; Accomac Banking Co., Inc., Parkley and Bloxom. A site was purchased by the Eastern Shore Fire Insurance Co., last Tuesday, next to Bank of Keller, upon which a large concrete building will be erected in the near future. The building is to be a company at an early day as headquarters for their business. A law office will also be built by Mr. G. Walter Mapp on a site purchased by him of the bank on same day. New advertisements in this issue of interest to our readers: Leatherbury, Belote & Co., Onancock—great dollar stretcher sale; A. H. G. Mears, Wachapreague—reduced prices on many line goods to-day, the big day at Wachapreague; W. J. L. Campbell, Cradockville—enameled ware, groceries &c.; The Great Pocomoke Fair; Board of Supervisors—notice to contractors. Rev. A. W. H. Jones, of Glade Springs, Va., will preach at Drummondton Baptist Church to-morrow morning, Sunday, 25th inst., at Baker Memorial in the afternoon of the same day at 3.30 o'clock and at Onley Baptist Church at night of that day or during next week. It is important that the members of these churches be present at these services. Capt. W. H. Lang has discontinued his excursions from Folly Creek to Metompin Beach on schedule time but will give one to the members of Drummondton Baptist Church on Friday next, 31st inst., at Folly Creek. A cordial invitation is extended to everyone by the Baptists to go on the trip with them. Fare, round trip 25 cents. Refreshments will be served. Joseph R. Riggs, executor, will sell at public auction at Bloxom on Saturday, August 1, 3 p. m. a tract of land, containing 20 to 30 acres, which was assigned to the widow of Sylvanus W. Russell, deceased, as her life interest in his said estate, situated in 2 mile of Bloxom Station, bounded by county road and lands of A. J. Barnes and others. For particulars see posters. John R. Row, special commissioner, in suit of Henry E. Byrd & Son, judgment creditors, who sue &c. vs. Sewall A. Taylor and wife &c., will sell at public auction on Saturday, July 25th, 3 p. m. in front of the store of Sewall A. Taylor, at Assawamuck, a tract of land situated near said place, containing 35 acres, more or less, bounded by Arbutuck Neck road, "Mt. Pisgah Farm" &c. The "dispersal sale" of Mr. Geo. T. Mapp took place, as announced, at his stable at Keller on last Tuesday and the purchasers and prices paid for the horses were as follows: V. Turner, Richmond, Va., Prince M., 5 year old, \$760; S. B. Spradley, Waverly, Md., Princess Morrill, 5 year old, \$500; Spring colt, \$100; Thos. Sage, Berlin, Md., Sydney Collins, 3 year old, \$230; S. M. Boyer, Keller, Va., Annie S., 3 year old, \$265; E. T. Burton, Locustmont, 3 year old, \$230; O. J. Kellam, Keller, Geo. T., 2 year old, \$220; H. W. Hastings, Whaleyville, Md., Easter Prince, 2 year old, \$205; Lee James, Quinby, Va., 1 year old, \$182.50; O. J. Kellam, Keller, Maud and Spring colt, \$115 and \$62, respectively; C. A. Gibbons, Rue, Va., Spring colt, \$130; W. L. James, Jamesville, Va., Miss Collins, \$150; L. W. King, Keller, Annie M., \$110; R. J. Bull, Keller, Mary, \$88—aggregate sum \$3,337.50.

NEIGHBORHOOD NOTES.

Onancock. Miss Grace Nottingham Stiff is in Hampton. Mr. W. T. West lost a valuable horse from lock-jaw Friday. Superintendent and Mrs. G. G. Joyne are at Buena Vista, Penn. Mrs. Joseph L. Cahall is the guest of her mother, Mrs. E. K. Powell, at Sans Souci. Miss Lillian M. Nelson, of Baltimore, is at the home of her brother, Mr. W. S. Nelson. Misses Sarah Parker and Blanche Rich are visiting Mr. and Mrs. Charles W. Kelly, at Cradockville. Miss Mattie G. Bates, of Shady Side, Northampton county, is the guest of Miss Sadie E. Fletcher on Kerr St. Miss Margaret C. West and Miss Maud S. Kellam spent a few days this week with friends in Wachapreague. Dr. Oscar L. Powell has received a handsome automobile, which he will use in the practice of his profession. Mr. Walter D. Lewis has sold his farm near Warrenton's branch, containing 85 acres, to Mr. J. Norman Beloit for \$5,000. Mr. Frederick W. Robertson, of Baltimore, arrived Monday in his yacht Eaglet, and after spending some time with his father, left for Norfolk. Miss Margaret N. Groton, Mrs. M. U. Franklin, Mrs. W. S. Nelson and little Miss Harriet Nelson spent this week at the Island House on Cedar Island. Miss Mary N. Chambers, of Camden, N. J., who has been the guest of Mrs. Thos. Rogers, of Finney, Va., for the past three weeks, is now at Melita, Va. Dr. George Lee Fosque sent Mrs. W. Pitts Rogers to Baltimore, Tuesday, to be operated upon for appendicitis. She was operated upon Wednesday, and her condition is reported as being favorable. Miss Pansy Wilkins, who has been visiting Miss Evelyn Ewell, of Kiowa, Kansas, and Miss Edna Herbert, of Topeka, Kansas, arrived home last Wednesday, returning via the Great Lakes and Niagara Falls. The New York, Philadelphia and Norfolk Railroad Co. Monday executed an agreement allowing the trolley roads to cross its tracks at grade at Tasey. It is now expected that the work of construction will soon begin. In your issue of last week your correspondent was mistaken as to the resignation of Rev. J. H. Gardner. He is still pastor of Onancock Methodist Episcopal Church, and will remain until the authorities assign him to another field. Mrs. Mary E. Tyler, widow of the late John D. Tyler, died at her residence Friday, aged about 83 years. Funeral services were held the following day in the M. E. Church, Rev. J. H. Gardner officiating, and interment was made in Onancock Cemetery. The quarterly conference of the Eastern Shore District convened in the M. E. Church, Sunday, Tuesday morning. Presiding Elder Edwards in the chair. Owing to the heavy rain showers of the morning the attendance was not very large, but the next day a full representation was present. Reports from the many churches and stations showed general progress, indicating advancement throughout the district. Dinner and refreshments were served on the grounds, and every effort was made by the local committee for the reunion to venture and comfort of those in attendance. Hallwood. Rain continues to fall in this section and crops of all kinds are looking fine. Dr. Walter G. Trow was called to Washington on important business this week. Corn is selling for 90 cents per bushel in our market and hard to get at that price. Miss Ethel Nock and Miss Blanche Sawyer, of Bloxom, are spending the week with their uncle, Mr. Thos. C. Kelly. Our round potato crop has been marketed and our station after four weeks of excessive activity is now almost deserted. Mr. Jno. W. Taylor is putting up a large mill and in the yard of his mill and cannery factory, with all modern appliances for extinguishing fire. The executive committee of Harman-West Camp will meet at Tasey Fair grounds, Thursday, August 6th, at 3 p. m., and all friends of veterans are requested to meet with them and help to make the necessary arrangements for the reunion to be held at Parkley, Thursday, August 7th. A program for the reunion will be out in a short time. Silva. Master Martin Pettit is quite sick with rheumatism. Mr. George Pilchard has accepted a position in Norfolk. The young people had quite an enjoyable fish fry at Red Hills this week. Saturday, our boys of the bat met with defeat when they met the Temperanceville boys, but they can't say too much in regard to the courteous treatment they received. They all declare it took away the sting of defeat. Like Greenbackville boys they know how to treat the vanquished as well as the victors. The community at large was both grieved and shocked at the sudden death of Miss Joe Baylis, a promising young girl, on July 14, not quite eighteen years old. The Sunday School has lost a regular, attentive pupil, the family a loving daughter and sister and her friends were grieved to part with her. But our loss is her gain. The large funeral procession and many flowers banked on her grave showed the high esteem in which she was held. Her pastor, the Rev. Mr. Jones, officiated at the funeral. She was laid to rest in Remson's Church yard. Fruit of Loom and Androscooggin muslin for 8 cents per yard during our "Dollar Stretcher" sale. See A. H. G. Mears at this week. Your money will go the farthest at Leatherbury, Belote & Co.'s great "Dollar Stretcher" sale.

Chincoteague.

Rev. Adam Stengle, P. E., preached at M. E. Church on Sunday. A handsome dwelling is being erected by Dr. O. M. Jones on Cleveland street. Mrs. P. D. Corbin and Miss Lillie Warren are guests of friends at Bishopville, Mr. Albert H. Hall and family of friends at Atlantic City, N. J. Launches have taken the place of batteaux on the island. There are now here about 50 and the number will be increased to 100 before end of year. The Accomac Baptist Association will be in session in Union Baptist Church here, August 12, 13 and 14, and a large number of pastors and delegates are expected. The church building is being renovated for the occasion. There will be no lack of hospitality on the part of our people for the brethren. A jolly party, invited by Capt. Geo. Reynolds, is at Popes Island this week listening "to what the wild waves are saying," viz: Mr. G. Walter Mapp, Keller, Misses Mildred Aydelotte and Viola Smith, Snow Hill, Miss Bertie Massey, Philadelphia, Miss Mollie King, Washington, Miss Reta Smith, Rev. E. T. Liddell and wife, Rev. J. D. Smith, N. S. Smith, Jr. and George Abbott. Arrivals at Atlantic Hotel this week: R. V. Gladding, P. Varley, M. J. Byrd, W. J. Morris, Baltimore; S. Greenwood, J. E. Harris, J. M. Oker, F. C. Hanna, J. E. Burton, Philadelphia; Allen F. Selby, J. C. Powell, Wilmington; J. Giffin, Norfolk; O. S. Andrews, Petersburg; C. H. Richards, Farmington, Del.; C. N. Godfrey, Millsboro; W. Windsor, L. Bunting, C. S. Hamlin, Selbyville; G. R. Tamba, Seaford; W. F. Scott, H. R. Boggs, C. Harrison, H. Brittingham and wife, Accomac. Among the visitors to relatives and friends here are Mr. Elmer Hollis, of New York, Mrs. L. F. Conklin and wife, Mrs. Edgar Hill, Mrs. Wm. Dryden, Mrs. Mary Hudson, Mrs. Bertie Massey and daughter, of Philadelphia, Mrs. Clara Matthews and son, of J. Taylor, of Temperanceville, Capt. Rufus Lewis and wife, of Exmore, B. B. Topping, of Milford, Mrs. Lillie Birch and children, of Stockton, Mrs. Turner and Miss M. Disbrow, of St. Joe, Mo.; Mr. Fred Ruediger and daughter, of Accomac. Horntown. Miss Blanche Parker has returned from a visit to friends at Pocomoke. Mr. Esie Townsend, wounded recently by a stinger while bathing, is recovering. Mr. J. W. Evans and wife, of Chincoteague, were welcome visitors to town last week. Mr. Wm. Gibb attended the District Conference, which convened at Onancock this week. Miss Margaret Shields was one of a party of four who went up to Maryland last week, for an auto tour. Mr. and Mrs. Chesser were called to Belle Haven last week to attend the funeral of her father, Mr. Elmore. The young people of town are enjoying the "dolls" and many little pleasure excursions wend their way thitherward. Mr. Percy Gladding, graduate with second honors at Goddard's College, left a few days ago, to accept a position as bookkeeper in Wilmington, Del. Mrs. Bettie Rue, district secretary of the W. T. M. S., delivered a very interesting and inspiring address here on Monday night last. Any ambitious and capable young lady, desiring to secure a scholarship to a school, may secure one worth \$50 to Meridian College and Conservatory of Music at Meridian, Miss., by applying with reference to P. O. Box 19, Horntown, Va. Among the recent visitors to town were: Misses Florence Bell and Sue Robertson, of Petersburg, Mr. Kenzie Holland, wife and daughter, of Portsmouth, Mrs. Spencer Fletcher and Miss Annie Coard, of Pocomoke, Miss Crawley Butler, of Chesterfield county, Va., Mrs. Wm. Hurley, of Atlantic, Md., Miss Sadie Pettit, of Norfolk, Miss Maud Hanley, of Pocomoke, Mrs. Cullin, of Greenbackville. Parkley. Mr. W. J. Hogan is spending a few days here with his family. Mr. Wm. T. Wessels has returned from a visit to relatives at Seaford, Del. Prof. Joe Shue, of the Parkley High School, has returned from a vacation. Miss Sallie Grimaldis at the home of her sister, Mrs. Allie T. Young, near town. Mr. Jesse Matthews, of Wilmington, Del., is spending his vacation with his parents here. Mrs. O. Lee Lilliston and daughter, Blanche, are guests of his brother, Mr. W. J. Lilliston. Mrs. Fletcher Barnes and son, James, are on a visit to her parents at Sharpsburg, Md. Mr. James B. Lucas and wife, of Baltimore, are guests at the home of Mr. Edward Wright. Mrs. Sallie E. Mason and sons, Clinton and Page, spent the week with relatives at Jenkins Bridge. Four persons were stunned by lightning during a severe electric storm here last Saturday afternoon. Mr. and Mrs. Edwin Wright and children, Miss Gladys and Master Dix Wright, are guests of relatives and friends here. Mr. W. H. Howard, Jr., who fell and hurt himself Tuesday while working on building of Mr. N. J. Lang was taken to the hospital at Salisbury, Wednesday, for treatment. Trunks, bags and suit cases must go. Attend our big "Dollar Stretcher" sale if you want bargains in seasonable, up-to-date merchandise. Leatherbury, Belote & Co. Everything in silverware, pictures, music and novelty goods going at cost while they last. W. B. Sartorius, Jeweler, Parkley, Va. Furniture, carpets, matting, &c., at greatly reduced prices during our special "Dollar Stretcher" sale. Leatherbury, Belote & Co. See A. H. G. Mears at this week.

Pungoteague.

Mr. Edward Joyne Ames, wife and children, of Baltimore, are visiting their parents in Pungoteague. Mr. George Nock, of New York, son of Mr. Samuel Nock, arrived here a few days ago, on a visit to his parents and many friends. Mr. William E. Hopkins has accepted a contract to paint the Pungoteague High School building and is now rushing the work as rapidly as possible. The carpenter's work is nearing completion. Fish and crabs are scarce in our market, but clams are abundant—selling at 75 cents and \$1.00 per 100 and an inferior article at that. The prices may make the sellers rich but the purchasers are being "skinned." Master Joseph Conway Hiden, the bright little son of Dr. J. H. Hiden, met with a painful misadventure by accidentally falling and breaking his collar bone this week. "Connie," as we call him, is getting on finely with his trouble. Mr. G. Walter Mapp, attorney for Baltimore creditors, sold at public auction on Saturday, 18th inst., at Pungoteague, the real estate belonging to Joe Roselle, of Pennville, containing by estimation, 20 acres, and appurtenances for \$1500. Mr. John B. Henderson was the purchaser. Depositions were taken here Saturday, 18th, relative to damages to the Methodist Episcopal Church, South, of this place, by the occupancy of said church by Federal troops during the Civil War. The Government was represented by Mr. Malcolm Cole, of Washington, D. C., and the church by Rev. J. E. Nicks, of this place. The church successfully sustained the justice of its claim. Mr. Charles H. Ames, of Pungoteague, while sitting on his porch about 11 o'clock on Saturday evening, saw a light in an unoccupied tenant house on his farm. Not knowing what the light meant he proceeded to the house to investigate, and on arriving there found six negro men playing cards. As soon as Mr. Ames was seen by them they seized him and took from his pockets every cent of money he had on his person. The negroes, who were unknown to him, then bade him to leave, which he did as he was unarmed, in that spirit of "discretion which is the better part of valor." Harborton. We are glad to report that Mr. Jas. Mears is improving. Miss Marjorie Read left on Tuesday's boat on a business trip through the Northern cities. Our factory is handling a large number of fish lately, all four boats coming in loaded on the 17th. Misses Madge Kelley, Sue Gilden and Ella Hutchinson are visiting Miss Sallie Colonna at Bridgetown. Capt. Jas. Lennon returned Monday from a business trip through the South in the interest of his firm. Mr. Jas. Mears, Jr., returned to his business at Big Stone Gap, Va., after a short vacation with his parents. The Misses Irene Reed, Jessie Penny and Beth Agathion are on a visit to Miss Susie Rogers at "Sea View," Finney's Wharf. Mr. Sam Clifford, chief engineer for a large concern in the West, was home on a short visit this week, looking as fat and jolly as ever. A picnic will be held by Methodist Church here on August 1st to help defray expenses of renovating inside of church. A good time guaranteed. A very exciting game of base ball was played here on the 18th, between the Orioles' Junior team and Cashville and Onancock combined, resulting in a victory for the home team, score 6 to 10. The pitching of Harvey Gilden was a feature of the game, holding the visitors down to one hit in six innings. We must congratulate umpire, Raymond Hutchinson, on his fair and square decisions and his knowledge of the game in a tight place. Hunting Creek. Miss Emma Nelson, of Accomac, is visiting Miss Annie Middleton and relatives here this week. Mr. John Andrews, Sr., is quite sick at this time and has been confined to his bed for several weeks. Mrs. Smith Justis, confined to her bed for several weeks, we are glad to report is very much improved and out again. Mrs. Rose Shrieves and children, of Baltimore, are spending the good old summer time at Hopkins with their friends. The festival held at Hunting Creek M. P. Church on July 19 and 20 was a grand success. The net proceeds were \$91.51. Messrs. Ralph Wilson and John Kellogg, who have been visiting their friends here returned to their home in Philadelphia this week. The Christian Endeavor Society, of Hunting Creek M. P. Church, will have a picnic on Jacks Island, Friday, July 31st. All are invited to spend the day there. Onley. Mr. L. J. Savage is off on a business trip to Philadelphia and other cities. Mr. J. C. Core, representative of the Produce Exchange at Buffalo, N. Y., for several weeks past, arrived home this week. Professor McGeehe, principal of the Onley School last session, arrived here from his home at Charlotte C. H. this week on a visit to friends. Among the visitors to relatives and friends in town this week were: Mr. J. L. Byrd, Oak Hall, Mr. Richard Ames, Painter, Mr. Ernest Taylor, of Eastville, and Miss Flossie Evans, of Horntown. Write to us for estimates on doors, sash, blinds, stair-rails and all other kinds of building material, hardware, paints, &c. Stock large, prices low. Mr. R. D. L. Fletcher will be at Accomac Court the first day of every County Court, to receive orders for the firm. Cape Charles Ice and Lumber Co. See A. H. G. Mears at this week. All callouses at 41 cents per yard during our "Dollar Stretcher" sale. Leatherbury, Belote & Co. Closing out sale of millinery and ladies muslin underwear, all hats at half price, at Wachapreague, Va., and Nassawadox, Va. Mrs. C. E. Mears. Ice chests and refrigerators at cut prices during our "Dollar Stretcher" sale. Leatherbury, Belote & Co.

Wachapreague.

Mr. Alfred F. Burton and family, after an extended visit to relatives at Chincoteague and Maryland, have returned home. Miss Susie White and a party of out-of-town lady and gentleman friends left this week for an extended trip to West Point, Baltimore and other points. Miss Sarah Doughty, of Cape Charles, who has been visiting her uncle, Mr. Jas. A. Doughty, of this town the past two weeks, returned home several days ago. A concrete store-house, 44 by 25 feet, two stories high, will, we learn, soon be erected here on the S. E. corner of Main and High Sts. for Mr. Hugh S. Fosque as the occupant. We Geo. W. Eichelberger, of the Gasman Co., New York City, is spending his vacation with his family at the homes of Mr. and Mrs. Jas. G. Nock and Mr. and Mrs. B. T. Eichelberger. A big crowd is expected here Saturday, 25th inst., to witness the several motor boat races scheduled to come off that day. Much preparation is being made for it and there will be many pleasant features to enliven the occasion. Very slow progress is being made on the large and handsome school building now in process of erection here, because of delay in getting lumber from the mill man, near Keller—sometimes almost a month between loads. Dr. John W. Kellam, our popular and skillful physician, has been honored by Gov. Swanson with an appointment as a delegate to the "International Congress on Tuberculosis" to be held in Washington, D. C., Sept. 21st to Oct. 12th, 1908. The new and handsome 40 foot gasoline boat, recently built here for Mr. A. H. G. Mears, was launched this week, and reflects much credit upon her builder, Mr. Joe Slicer Mears. She is a thing of beauty, has beautiful lines and those versed in "boatcraft" think she will be a "swifter." Among the recent arrivals at the Wachapreague Hotel are: Chief of Detectives, A. J. Humphrey, and wife and public building inspector, Mr. Geo. Tom Ames, wife and daughter, all of Baltimore, General E. M. Hayes and niece, of North Carolina, and about 40 others from Lynchburg and elsewhere. Mrs. Margaret L. Johnson, relict of the late Jas. Edward Johnson, a lady of many noble traits of character and held in high esteem by all who knew her, departed this life July 5th, in the 68th year of her age. Funeral services were conducted over her remains by Rev. S. Otto Wright, in the Methodist Church here, on the 7th inst. She is survived by one son, Mr. Jas. Thomas Johnson and three daughters, Mrs. Douglas A. Martin, Mrs. Thos. W. Turlington and Mrs. Andrew J. Spence. Her remains were interred in Mount Holly Cemetery, Onancock. Mrs. Mary E. Hickman, widow of William H. Hickman, died of dropsy on the 15th inst., at the home of her son, Mr. James H. Hickman, near Wachapreague, aged 96 years. She possessed all the characteristics of a fine lady and enjoyed the confidence and respect of all. Eleven children survive her, viz: Messrs. Thos. S., G. Tankard, Randall C. Wm. H., known as Sewell, James H., Michael, Thos. Q. and Fred L., and Mrs. John Smith and Miss Rebecca L. and Sadie B. Hickman. After funeral services at the home of deceased, conducted by Rev. Chas. Wright, her remains were laid to rest by the side of her husband in the burying ground near Keller Station. Cradockville. Crops are suffering for want of rain in this vicinity. Miss Grace Kellam is home from Nassawadox, after a very successful season in the millinery business. Mrs. R. A. Bull and her little daughter, Mabel, have returned to their home in Norfolk, after a visit to their many friends on the Eastern Shore. Mrs. J. E. Lindsey and Miss Elizabeth McWhirter, who have been visiting at the home of Mr. E. S. Wise, returned to their home in Jonesville, S. C., Wednesday. The ladies of Cradockville M. E. Church, South, cordially invite every one to the supper and refreshments, which will be prepared for Thursday, July 30, beginning at 2 o'clock, instead of Wednesday, as has been advertised before. Proceeds for the benefit of the church, should be held the next day. The following are guests of relatives and friends in town and vicinity: Mrs. Octavia Geiger, of Philadelphia, of Mrs. E. B. Finney; Mr. W. E. Wise and family, of Baltimore, of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. S. Wise; Miss Marian Martin, of Baltimore, of her uncle, Mr. Henry Martin; Mrs. S. B. Bull, of Norfolk, of Mrs. Eulah Bull; Mr. R. Penn Davis and family, of Norfolk, of his mother, Mrs. Margaret Davis; Miss Maude Wescott, of Painter, of her grand-parents. Deaths. Died at the residence of his father-in-law, Mr. Major J. Jones, of Greenbackville, on the 21st of July, Mr. Charles Cleveland Ardis, of a complication of diseases, aged 22 years. Mr. Ardis was a young man highly respected by the people of this community. He leaves a widow, father, mother, and sisters, besides many close friends and relatives to mourn their loss. Funeral in M. P. Church at Greenbackville, on 21st inst., at 1 p. m., by Rev. Mr. Jones, interment in Greenbackville M. P. Cemetery. X. William, aged 10 months, son of Mr. Richard Bundick, died of cholera infantum, near Locustville, on Thursday, July 23, 1908. T. T. Wescott, Grangeville, Va. For SALE—A part of farm, situated in Horntown of about 40 acres. Good trucking land, with one dwelling and one tenant house. Resources sufficient to supply the land. W. C. Colona, Horntown, Va. For SALE—One bay mare about nine years old, gentle to all harness, and an excellent driver, also wagon and harness. Apply to W. C. Gilden, Harborton, Va.

Accomac Baptist Association.

The Accomac Baptist Association will meet with the Union Baptist Church, on Chincoteague, August 12, 13 and 14. All pastors and delegates, who propose to be in attendance, will please notify the committee and take conveyance from Makemie Park to Chincoteague via Wishart Point. Wm. J. Jester, John Tarr, Elmer W. Watson, James T. Lunn, Committee. Hurrah for Cedar Island. Launch leaves Wachapreague as follows: 8.30 a. m., 2 and 6 p. m., returning at 12.30, 6 and 10 p. m., sharp. Round trip 25 cents. Make engagements for meals and island in advance when possible. W. J. Fosque, Prop. Hotel Wachapreague. You cannot afford to patronize the jeweler who is here to day and gone tomorrow. Come to us, if you are having any trouble with your eyes. Consultation free. Five years' experience in Pocomoke city. Prices reasonable. W. B. Sartorius, Jeweler, Parkley, Va. See A. H. G. Mears at this week. Business Notices. WANTED—1,000 lbs. chickens—15,000 large clams, for Tasey Fair. 40 cents gallon paid for fresh shelled butter beans. Doughty & Hickman. FOR SALE—No. 1 Alderney cow, 3 years old, fresh to pay—all also good farm horse weighing about 1,000 pounds, sound and all right. Apply to G. E. Bunting, Assawamuck, Va. WANTED—A farmer with sufficient labor to carry on a two or three horse farm for share rent, everything else to be furnished by the undersigned. The farm is 2 mile of Onley Station, is in high state of cultivation and has abundant resources on it. For further particulars call and see. W. E. Mapp, Onley, Va. WOOD FOR SALE—At 25 cents a cart load at the Parkley Manufacturing Co. mill, near Whitesville, Parkley, Va. FOR SALE OR EXCHANGE—A drove of good horses, two especially fine drivers. They can be seen at Evans Wharf. John T. Nock. WANTED—A middle age white lady, to do general house work. Good wages will be paid to the right person. Apply to A. P. Savage, Belle Haven, Va. LOST—On streets in Accomac gold crescent brooch. It has three flowers with pearl settings. Finder will receive a liberal reward by returning to Wm. P. Bell, Druggist, Accomac C. H. Va. NOTICE—3 horse farm for rent. F. S. Smith, Mappsburg, Va. FOR RENT—Cash or share, for year 1909, Homestead farm of P. Byrd. Abundant resources. Possession given January 1, 1909. M. J. Byrd, Mears, Va. FOR SALE OR TRADE—Saw mill with belts &c., complete. W. T. Broughton, Onley, Va. NOTICE—Houses moved by day or contract at any point in Accomac or Northampton on reasonable terms by the undersigned. Prompt attention given to all calls by letter or phone at my home. G. T. Groton, Parkley, Va. FOR SALE—New nine room house at Red Bank, Northampton Co., good location for oystering, clamming and all bay work. Will sell furnished or unfurnished. Reason for selling owner is going North. Cheap for cash. Apply to Capt. J. W. Taylor, Box 58, Marionville, Northampton Co., Va. NOTICE—We have for sale 300,000 barrel staves. J. C. Kelley & Bro., New Church, Va. NOTICE TO GENERAL PUBLIC—I have on hand a full supply of low wheel speed carts and top buggies—also some second hand ones. Terms cash. Apply to C. M. Byrd, Keller, Va. FOR SALE—One hundred thousand half round No. 1 Maple hoops—will sell cheap. Will deliver same on cars, or on Folly Creek or Onancock. Address the undersigned. Lilliston & Nock, Tasey, Va. FOR SALE—Fine launch, 33x3 feet, bent timbers and copper fastened, white cedar planking, speed lines, large cabin. For further information apply to Chas. Boulter, Wachapreague, Va. FOR RENT—Storehouse in Hacks Neck for one year or more. Good stand for business. John O. Stephens, Harborton, Va. FOR SALE OR TRADE—My mare Lizzie A., 14 years old, sound as a dollar. Afraid of automobile my only reason for getting clear of her. She is registered as a trotter, can trot a mile in 2:35, has a beautiful Sydney Prince colt—will make a splendid brood mare. T. T. Wescott, Grangeville, Va. July 13, 1908. FOR SALE—A part of farm, situated in Horntown of about 40 acres. Good trucking land, with one dwelling and one tenant house. Resources sufficient to supply the land. W. C. Colona, Horntown, Va. For SALE—One bay mare about nine years old, gentle to all harness, and an excellent driver, also wagon and harness. Apply to W. C. Gilden, Harborton, Va.

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